

ED 899820408 US

"EXPRESS MAIL" Mailing Label Number _____

July 19, 2005

Date of Deposit: _____

JUL 19 2005

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited

with the United States Postal Service "EXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO

ADDRESSEE" Service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above

and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450,

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Marie-Louise Pinset

Marie-Louise PINSET

212 302 8989

BEST AVAILABLE COPY



07-20-05

IFW
✓

302.139

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :
Hans-Jurgen Dern, et al. : Group: 1771
Serial No.: 10/612,606 :
Filed: 07/02/2003 : Examiner: Salvatore, Lynda
For: METHOD ... INSERTS :

Hedman and Costigan
1185 Avenue of the Americas
New York, NY 10036
July 19, 2005

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of March 23, 2005, please amend this application
as follows:

The Amendment to the Specification is on page 2.

The claims are amended on pages 3 to 4.

The Remarks begin on page 5.